

Around the County

SHORT CREEK

Special Correspondence to the
Mohave County Miner

Mr. and Mrs. Gutshall, Mr. and Mrs. Cowgill and Mrs. McDowell have gone up Little Zion canyon for a week's outing.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Carling, Mrs. Codvin, Mr. and Mrs. McLoyd Lauritzen, Tennyson Lauritzen and Reed Lauritzen have all gone to St. George to attend the Fruit Festival.

The people here were quite disappointed in not having any Primary election. The election supplies failed to arrive. We are trying to find out who is to blame. There was no election at Moccasin for the same reason. Sheep are beginning to come into the state from Utah. The feed on the range is good.

J. W. Lauritzen is building an addition to his residence.

Frank Johnson, who recently returned from Salt Lake City has gone to Hurricane on business.

Short Creek is rapidly becoming noted as first aid station for disabled autos on the lower or antelope road. Nearly every week recently McLoyd Lauritzen, who owns the only car here, has had to tow a car or carry its occupants to the nearest town. The antelope road make a big detour into the desert to avoid the sand along the Short Creek wash. If a party has an accident on this road it usually takes about a day before help can be had. In the meantime most of the party is forced to remain with the car and at times the experience is not the most pleasant. Recently, a lady and small boy spent the night on this desert.

During the darkness they were surrounded by five coyotes which frightened them but did not harm them. It looks like public interest and safety would demand that Utah, and Arizona get together and spend a few hundred dollars which would put the road through the settlements between Hurricane and Fredonia in better shape than the antelope road and besides making auto travel possible would aid in the development of the country. The road through the settlements is fifteen miles shorter than the other road and someone lives along it every few miles and then there is a telephone line so that assistance can easily be had in case of necessity. There is a mining company on the Buckskin mountain which is preparing to ship its ores by auto truck to Lund, Utah, and they are willing to repair one of these roads preferably the road through the settlements as it will be the permanent road, the other being traveled through necessity not choice.

Most of the sand is in Mohave county and the residents here are beginning to feel that they are entitled to more consideration in the matter of roads. They feel that they ought to receive a pro rata of road money with the rest of the county according to population. The so called "Strip" has paid tribute to the rest of Mohave county for a good many years. Now that it is being settled a larger proportion of the taxes paid should be spent here.

CHLORIDE NOTES

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Col. J. C. Rankin, who is promoting several properties in the district, was in Chloride a few days this week.

E. E. Vanderback and wife, of Salt Lake City, are visiting this camp.

W. J. Merrifield and Mrs. Jennie Cole were united in marriage at Kingman Wednesday and returned to Chloride, where they were serenaded in the evening by the Chloride orchestra. While there was more noise than harmony in the band, it showed that all the young folks wished to convey their felicitations to the happy couple. Mrs. Merrifield conducted the Fern hotel for some time past.

L. D. Razor departed to Los Angeles last Monday to offer his services to Uncle Sam. He expects to enter the engineering corps. Mr. Razor was formerly of the firm of Douglas and Razor, which conducted a civil engineering office here.

W. R. McKeeth departed to Golconda where he and family will spend the winter months.

Mrs. Fred Stull returned to Chloride last Saturday after several months visit on the coast. She also visited the Grand Canyon of the Colorado during her absence.

VALENTINE

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The roads in this section are being repaired. They have been in very bad condition since the recent rains. A force of men are at present working at Crozier.

Mather Willis, former superintendent of live stock for the Indians, now stationed at Sacaton, is spending a few days in this section, on business at the Indian School and is visiting Joe Carrow.

Miss Beula Stowe and Dr. Kimball of the Indian School were entertained at dinner on Thursday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McDonald at Mountain View ranch.

Mr. McDonald made a business trip to Pine Springs last Saturday. C. D. Wagner, Superintendent of the Indian School and Mr. Wilson went to Kingman on Thursday to round up those of the Indian children who failed to report for enrollment the first of the week when school opened.

The public school has not yet opened up because the teacher has not come. The youngsters are wondering how many more days grace before she arrives.

Miss Trenkle from Needles is in charge of the Santa Fe station at Crozier during the absence of Mr. Wm. Turk, who with his wife is spending a two weeks vacation in Los Angeles.

NEW COAL DISCOVERY

Charles H. Smith, who has been making investigation of a method of perfecting smokeless coal, is said to have invented a new coal which he has named carbocool. He treats bituminous coal, extracting oils and volatile matter, sulphate of ammonia, tuiol, etc., and then makes briquettes of the coal, which gives no smoke when burned. It has been experimented with by the United States government and has been approved by the commission. It will be used on war vessels.

Constantinople has been bombed by the Allied airmen, but the harems have escaped injury so far.

OLD CLOTHES FOR BELGIANS TO BE GATHERED DURING WEEK OF SEPT. 23 TO 30

The Red Cross will concentrate their efforts during the week of September 23 to 30 on collecting old clothes for Belgians. The list of articles wanted will be found on page 9 of this week's issue.

The old Mineral Wealth building will be used as a store room and people are requested to bring their cast off clothing there or phone Mrs. DeLashmuth who will have someone call for them.

Assistance for Belgium, temporarily under the tyrants heel, is a very necessary work and is being carried on by the Commission on Relief in Belgium, founded by Herbert C. Hoover in 1914.

Mohave County's quota is 2,000 pounds of clothing.

FALLS 1000 FEET NOW CONVALESCING

Emmett M. Hamlin, well known in Oatman, having acted as chauffeur for S. R. Porter, writes an interesting letter from a convalescent camp in England.

He is at the Selridge Convalescent camp, founded by the American "London Department Store Wizard," Hampshire, England.

Dear Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Shea: Just a few lines to let you know that I am alive and think of you folks.

Since my arrival here Dec. 8, 1917, I was sent to one of England's best domes for practical instruction in aeronautics and flying and one day while flying for my test the wing broke off the airplane and I fell over a thousand feet to mother earth, sustaining severe injury to my arms and legs. I was confined to a British hospital for over three months and have been at this camp for over two months so you can see I have had a long sick spell.

Two weeks ago I discarded my crutches and am now using a cane. "All Englishmen wear canes" You know the old saying goes. When in Rome, do as Rome does.

Bally old H'England is a beautiful country and I wish you and Mrs. Shea could bring the little six over here for a thirty day tour. We could have a royal time.

Since my arrival here in England I have had the pleasure of going to London and various other places of interest and I can truthfully say the English people are very receptive and hospitable to the Yanks.

This convalescent camp for American boys is maintained by the Selridge family and as they are Americans from Chicago, naturally we are treated like sons.

This camp is only a few miles from all of the famous South Sea resorts and you can bet I am a frequent visitor to them.

Every morning I take a dip in the English phannel and other such sports. I have often thought of you folks and how kind and loyal you were to me and I only hope I will meet you both again to continue a friendship begun long ago.

In the course of a few weeks I will join my squadron in France and believe me I am sure going to get a few Fritz or Jerry's scalps. At this time of writing our boys are "giving 'em hell", and that is not all they will receive from the Yanks.

I would like very much to give you a few of my experiences since leaving N. Y. but I am afraid our kind friend the censor will object. Herb is quartermaster Sergeant at Vancouver, Wash. and is doing fine.

I am holding the highest non commissioned rank in the U. S. Army, M. S. E., meaning technical Sergeant Major and my pay is that of a commissioned officer.

Well Judge, write me a long letter and also have Mrs. Shea do likewise. Let me know how the mine is getting along and the said Buick. Remember me to all my brother Elks at Kingman and friends. Hoping this finds you and Mrs. Shea living in the best of health and prosperity. I remain

Your sincere friend
M. S. E. EMMETT M. HAMLIN

DROUTH CAUSES CATTLE SHIPMENTS

Cattlemen in the south part of the state are shipping their cattle to pasture lands in other states on account of short feed caused by drouth. In some parts of the country, close to the Mexican line the drouth is so acute that feeding has to be resorted to until the cattle can be gotten away from the range. In Mohave county, and in fact all over the northern part of the state the ranges are in excellent condition and instead of losses the cattlemen are enjoying great prosperity. The rains have been general, extending from California into New Mexico and quite a distance north and south of the 35th parallel.

DIED

Jimmie Halsworth, formerly master mechanic at the Tom Reed in Oatman recently passed away in San Diego. The details of his death are not known. Interment was at San Diego, the funeral taking place on September 11.

FORMER MINERAL PARK MINING MAN KINGMAN VISITOR

Last week F. C. McCracken, owner with C. G. Atlee in the Mineral Park turquoise mines, passed through Kingman on his way to Santa Barbara, California, where he will in future reside. Mr. McCracken was with the late George Bell in business of mining turquoise and furnishing the finished produce to the trade. For a long time he had charge of the mines and is known to many of the old timers of Mineral Park. His son, who was with him at the Park, is now on one of the fastest submarine chasers in the navy, the boat having an average maximum speed of 28 knots.

BUREAU OF MINES PRODUCING RADIUM

As the result of an agreement between the National Radium Institute and the Bureau of Mines, Department of the Interior, to develop a more efficient process for the manufacture of radium from carnotite ores of Colorado and Utah, the bureau now has as its share more than \$180,000 worth of radium for use in the sciences. This was procured for an expenditure of less than \$38,000.

In addition, under the agreement, the Bureau of Mines has turned over to the National Radium Institute about 6 1-2 grams of radium, and has given to the country a method for producing pure radium compound from the ore for as little as one-third the current price of radium.

When the Bureau of Mines began this work in 1912, it found that the precious carnotite ore, constituting the largest known supply of radium ore in the world, was going to Europe, mainly to Germany, where it was being turned into radium and sold back to the United States at fabulous prices.—Scientific American.

NEW MACHINERY HACKBERRY MINE

Last Monday Granger and Chappell hauled one of the big engines from Hackberry to the new mill at the Hackberry mine. The engine weighed over nine tons, stripped to the cylinders, and was delivered in the mill in quick order. This is the first of the big engines that will make up the mill and power plant units for the Hackberry Consolidated Mines.

Quite a number of Kingman people went up to Hackberry to look over the new plant as far as completed and also to look through the big mine. G. S. Holmes and William Neagle conducted the men through the property and the mill, and they were all surprised with the extent and scope of the big enterprise. The mine has more than 100,000 tons of ore developed and fully that much more to be blocked out with little expense.

VISITS IN KINGMAN

Charles H. Burlock and Will H. Holcomb, of the Mossback mines, were in Kingman a few days ago. The gentlemen are well pleased with the result of the work now being carried on in the mines and believe they have one of the world beaters.

The new Premier of the Holland Cabinet struggles under the name of G. L. Rujifs de Beerenbrouck, which reads like a title line in one of Mack Sennett's pictures.

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ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Odd Fellows Building Association will be held at the Odd Fellows Hall on Thursday, September 26th, 1918 for the transaction of all necessary legal business that may come before it.

HENRY LOVIN, Pres.

Attest: HENRY E. LANG, Secy.
Dated at Kingman this 7th day of September, 1918.

NOTICE

To whom it may concern: Notice is hereby given that no credit shall be extended to anyone by reason of their being employed by the Belleflower Mining Company, except by special written authority.

Belleflower Mining Company.
By JOHN JAHN, Secy.
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To kiss me, ere I fall asleep

And tuck me 'neath the counterpane,

And I shall be a boy again

When I Come Home!

WHEN I come home, from dark to light

And tramp the lanes I tramped of yore,

And see the village greens once more,

The tranquil farms, the meadows free,

The friendly trees that nod to me,

And hear the lark beneath the sun,

'Twill be good pay for what I've done

When I Come Home!

LESLIE COULSON
(Killed in action, Oct. 7, 1916)

"'Twill be good pay!" It is the only reward they ask—these fighting men of ours—to come home, victorious. It is the debt we owe—can we pay it in full? No. But we can do all we can do.

Save and try in some small way to pay our debt to those who have fallen. Save honorably—make a religion of it—nothing we can do today here at home touches so closely the heart of life. For saving saves life. Bonds save life. If you buy greatly you will help some strong, clean American boy, in whose heart is ringing the words "when I come home"—really to win through—to return to us—a victorious crusader—a mother's son—alive and well—and home again!

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Cayene, 2 ounce tins 10c

Mustard, 2 ounce tins 10c

Paprika (Spanish), 2 ounce tins 10c

Savory, 2 ounce tins 10c

Thyme, 2 ounce tins 10c

Nutmeg, 2 ounce tins 15c

Mace, 2 ounce tins 20c

Curry Powder, 2 ounce glass 15c

Cloves, 1 1-2 ounce tin 10c

Citron Peel, per pound 40c

Orange Peel, per pound 40c



BROKEN WASHER FROM QUENTIN ROOSEVELT'S MACHINE RECEIVED

T. J. Sparkes is in receipt of a broken washer from the airplane of Quentin Roosevelt, who was killed when his plane was downed by a boche airman, over the German lines. The relic was sent him by his son Tom, who enlisted from Prescott last year. He says that the grave of young Roosevelt is but a short distance from where he is now billeted.

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